

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
CENTRAL DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

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**I.****DEADLINES**

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| Last Day to Add Parties/Amend Pleadings   | June 20, 2016                 |
| Non-expert Discovery Cut-off  | November 10, 2016             |
| Expert Disclosure (Initial)   | October 14, 2016              |
| Expert Disclosure (Rebuttal)  | November 4, 2016              |
| Expert Discovery Cut-off  | December 16, 2016             |
| Last Day to Hear Motions  | December 19, 2016             |
| Last Day to Conduct ADR Proceeding  | January 23, 2017              |
| File Memorandum of Contentions of Fact and Law, Exhibit and Witness Lists, Status Report regarding settlement, and all Motions in Limine  | March 6, 2017                 |
| Lodge Pretrial Conference Order, file agreed set of Jury Instructions and Verdict forms, file statement regarding Disputed Instructions and Verdict Forms, and file oppositions | March 13, 2017                |
| Final Pretrial Conference and Hearing on Motions in Limine  | March 27, 2017, at 11:00 a.m. |
| Trial Date (Est. 4 Days)  | April 18, 2017 at 8:30 a.m.   |

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1           A.     PARTIES/PLEADINGS

2           The Court has established a cut-off date for adding parties or amending  
3     pleadings. All motions to add parties or to amend the pleadings must be noticed  
4     to be *heard* on or before the cut-off date. All unserved parties will be dismissed  
5     at the time of the pretrial conference pursuant to Local Rule 16-8.1.

6           B.     DISCOVERY AND DISCOVERY CUT-OFF

7           1.     Discovery Cut-off: The Court has established a cut-off date for  
8     discovery, including expert discovery, if applicable. This is not the date by which  
9     discovery requests must be served; it is the date by which all discovery, *including*  
10    *all hearings on any related motions*, is to be completed.

11          2.     Discovery Disputes: Counsel are expected to comply with the  
12    Federal Rules of Civil Procedure and all Local Rules concerning discovery.  
13    Whenever possible, the Court expects counsel to resolve discovery problems  
14    among themselves in a courteous, reasonable and professional manner. The  
15    Court expects that counsel will adhere strictly to the Civility and Professionalism  
16    Guidelines (which can be found on the Court's website under Attorney  
17    Information, Attorney Admissions).

18          3.     Discovery Motions: Any motion challenging the adequacy of  
19    discovery responses must be filed, served, and calendared sufficiently in advance  
20    of the discovery cut-off date to permit the responses to be obtained before that  
21    date if the motion is granted.

22          4.     Depositions: All depositions shall commence sufficiently in advance  
23    of the discovery cut-off date to permit their completion and to permit the  
24    deposing party enough time to bring any discovery motions concerning the  
25    deposition before the cut-off date. Given the requirements to "meet and confer"  
26    and to give notice, in most cases a planned motion to compel must be discussed  
27    with opposing counsel at least six weeks before the cut-off.

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1           5.     Written Discovery: All interrogatories, requests for production of  
2 documents and requests for admissions must be served sufficiently in advance of  
3 the discovery cut-off date to permit the discovering party enough time to  
4 challenge (via motion practice) responses deemed to be deficient.

5           6.     Expert Discovery: All disclosures must be made in writing. The  
6 parties should begin expert discovery shortly after the initial designation of  
7 experts. The final pretrial conference and trial dates will not be continued merely  
8 because expert discovery is not completed. Failure to comply with these or any  
9 other orders concerning expert discovery may result in the expert being excluded  
10 as a witness.

11           C.     LAW AND MOTION

12           1.     The Court has established a cut-off date for the *hearing* of motions.  
13 All motions must be noticed so that the *hearing* takes place on or before the  
14 motion cut-off date. Counsel are advised that the Court may close a hearing date  
15 once the number of motions filed exceeds the maximum number of motions that  
16 reasonably can be heard on that date. Counsel should anticipate that a preferred  
17 hearing date may not be unavailable. Therefore, to avoid being unable to file a  
18 motion to be heard by the cut-off date, counsel *should file motions sufficiently in*  
19 *advance of the hearing cut-off date to ensure that a hearing date is available.*

20           2.     Counsel must provide Chambers with conformed Chambers copies  
21 of all documents. Chambers copies should not be put in envelopes. Counsel  
22 should consult the Court's website at [www.cacd.uscourts.gov](http://www.cacd.uscourts.gov), Judges' Procedures  
23 and Schedules, Hon. Michael W. Fitzgerald, for further information regarding  
24 Chambers copies and motion procedures.

25           D.     SETTLEMENT PROCEDURES

26           Counsel must complete a settlement conference under the Court-Directed  
27 ADR Program no later than the date set by the Court. If the parties desire to  
28 participate in an ADR procedure other than that elected in the Rule 26(f)

1 Scheduling Report and Order, they shall file a stipulation with the Court. this  
2 request will not necessarily be granted.

3 No case will proceed to trial unless all parties, including the principals of  
4 all corporate parties, have appeared personally at a settlement conference.

5 E. FINAL PRETRIAL CONFERENCE

6 A final pretrial conference date has been set pursuant to Rule 16 of the  
7 Federal Rules of Civil Procedure and Local Rule 16-8. Unless excused for good  
8 cause, each party appearing in this action shall be represented at the final pretrial  
9 conference by the lead trial counsel for that party. Counsel should be prepared to  
10 discuss streamlining the trial, including presentation of testimony by deposition  
11 excerpts or summaries, time limits, stipulations as to undisputed facts, and  
12 qualification of experts by admitted resumes.

13 **II.**

14 **TRIAL PREPARATION**

15 A. PRETRIAL DOCUMENTS

16 1. All pretrial document copies shall be delivered to the Court “binder-  
17 ready” (three-hole punched on the left side, without blue-backs, and stapled only  
18 in the top left corner).

19 2. STRICT COMPLIANCE WITH LOCAL RULE 16 IS REQUIRED.  
20 THIS ORDER SETS FORTH SOME DIFFERENT AND SOME ADDITIONAL  
21 REQUIREMENTS. THIS COURT DOES NOT EXEMPT *PRO PER* PARTIES  
22 FROM THE REQUIREMENTS OF RULE 16. Carefully prepared memoranda of  
23 contentions of fact and law, witness lists, a joint exhibit list, and a proposed final  
24 pretrial conference order shall be submitted in accordance with the Rules, and the  
25 format of the proposed final pretrial conference order shall conform to the format  
26 set forth in Appendix A to the Local Rules. Failure to comply with these  
27 requirements may result in the final pretrial conference being taken off-calendar  
28 or continued, or in other sanctions.

1           3.     The filing schedule for pretrial documents is as follows.

2           a.     At least 21 days before final pretrial conference:

- 3                 •     Memorandum of contentions of fact and law
- 4                 •     Witness lists
- 5                 •     Joint exhibit list
- 6                 •     Motions *in limine*

7           b.     At least 14 days before final pretrial conference:

- 8                 •     Proposed final pretrial conference order
- 9                 •     Proposed jury instructions
- 10                •     Proposed verdict forms
- 11                •     Statement of the case
- 12                •     Proposed additional voir dire questions, if desired
- 13                •     Oppositions to motions *in limine*

14          c.     At least 7 days before trial:

- 15                •     Trial briefs, if desired

16          4.     In addition to the requirements of Local Rule 16, the witness lists  
17 must include a brief description (one or two paragraphs) of the testimony and a  
18 time estimate for both direct and cross-examination (separately stated).

19          B.     MOTIONS IN LIMINE

20          Each party is limited to five (5) motions *in limine*, unless the Court grants  
21 leave to file additional motions. All motions and oppositions are limited to ten  
22 (10) pages in length. All motions *in limine* must be filed at least three weeks  
23 before the final pretrial conference; oppositions must be filed at least two weeks  
24 before the final pretrial conference; reply briefs will not be accepted. Counsel are  
25 to meet and confer with opposing counsel to determine whether opposing counsel  
26 intend to introduce the disputed evidence and to attempt to reach an agreement  
27 that would obviate the motion. The Court will rule on motions *in limine* at the  
28 final pretrial conference. Motions *in limine* should address specific issues (e.g.,

1 *not* “to exclude all hearsay”). Motions *in limine* should not be disguised motions  
 2 for summary adjudication of issues.

3 C. JURY INSTRUCTIONS, STATEMENT OF THE CASE, AND  
 4 VOIR DIRE

5 1. Pursuant to Local Rule 16-2, lead trial counsel for each party are  
 6 required to meet and confer in person. The Court expects strict compliance with  
 7 Local Rule 16-2. Fourteen days before the Local Rule 16-2 meeting, the parties  
 8 shall exchange their respective proposed jury instructions and special verdict  
 9 forms. Ten days prior to the Local Rule 16-2 meeting, each shall serve objections  
 10 to the other’s instructions and verdict forms. Before or at the Rule 16-2 meeting,  
 11 counsel are ordered to meet and confer and attempt to come to agreement on the  
 12 proposed jury instructions and verdict forms.

13 2. *At the time of filing the proposed final pretrial conference order,*  
 14 counsel shall file with the Court a JOINT set of jury instructions on which there is  
 15 agreement. All blanks in standard forms should be filled in. The Court expects  
 16 counsel to agree on the substantial majority of jury instructions, particularly when  
 17 pattern or model instructions provide a statement of applicable law. If one party  
 18 fails to comply with the provisions of this section, the other party must file a  
 19 unilateral set of jury instructions.

20 3. *At the same time,* each party shall file its proposed jury instructions  
 21 that are objected to by any other party. Each disputed instruction must have  
 22 attached a short statement (one or two paragraphs), including points and  
 23 authorities, in support of the instruction and a brief statement, including points  
 24 and authorities, in support of any objections. If applicable, a proposed alternative  
 25 instruction must be provided.

26 4. When the *Manual of Model Jury Instructions for the Ninth Circuit*  
 27 provides an applicable jury instruction, the parties should submit the most recent  
 28 version, modified and supplemented to fit the circumstances of this case. Where

1 California law applies, counsel should use the current edition of the *Judicial*  
 2 *Council of California Civil Jury Instructions* (“CACI”). If neither is applicable,  
 3 counsel should consult the current edition of O’Malley, et al., *Federal Jury*  
 4 *Practice and Instructions*. Each requested instruction shall (a) cite the authority  
 5 or source of the instruction, (b) be set forth in full, (c) be on a separate page, (d)  
 6 be numbered, (e) cover only one subject or principle of law, and (f) not repeat  
 7 principles of law contained in any other requested instruction.

8 Counsel may submit alternatives to these instructions only if counsel has a  
 9 reasoned argument that they do not properly state the law or they are incomplete.

10 5. Counsel must provide the documents described in paragraphs 2 and 3  
 11 to the Chambers email box in Word or WordPerfect 9 (or above) format *at the*  
 12 *time they file their proposed jury instructions*.

13 6. The Court will send one or more copies of the instructions into the  
 14 jury room for the jury’s use during deliberations. Therefore, in addition to the  
 15 copies described above, the Chambers email version must contain a “clean” set of  
 16 jury instructions, containing only the text of the instruction (one per page) with  
 17 the caption “Instruction No. \_\_” at the top (eliminating titles, supporting  
 18 authority, etc.).

19 7. Counsel must provide an index of all instructions submitted, which  
 20 must include the following:

- 21 a. the number of the instruction;
- 22 b. the title of the instruction;
- 23 c. the source of the instruction and any relevant case citations;
- 24 and
- 25 d. the page number of the instruction.

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For example:

| <u>Number</u> | <u>Title</u>                            | <u>Source</u>  | <u>Page Number</u> |
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| 1             | Trademark-Defined<br>(15.U.S.C. § 1127) | 9th Cir. 8.5.1 | 1                  |

8. During the trial and before argument, the Court will meet with counsel and settle the instructions, and counsel will have an opportunity to make a further record concerning their objections.

9. *At the time of filing the proposed final pretrial conference order*, counsel should file a jointly prepared one- or two-page statement of the case to be read by the Court to the prospective panel of jurors before commencement of voir dire.

10. The Court will conduct the voir dire. The Court provides a list of basic questions, and may provide a list of additional questions to jurors before voir dire. (This is not a questionnaire to be completed by jurors.) Counsel may, but are not required to, file and submit (electronically to the Chambers email box and in paper form) a list of proposed case-specific voir dire questions at the time they file the proposed final pretrial conference order.

11. In most cases the Court will conduct its initial voir dire of 14 prospective jurors who will be seated in the jury box. Generally the Court will select eight jurors.

12. Each side will have three peremptory challenges. If fourteen jurors are seated in the box and all six peremptory challenges are exercised, the remaining eight jurors will constitute the jury panel. If fewer than six peremptory challenges are exercised, the eight jurors in the lowest numbered seats will be the jury. The Court will not necessarily accept a stipulation to a challenge for cause. If one or more challenges for cause are accepted, and all six peremptory challenges are exercised, the Court may decide to proceed with six or seven

1 jurors.

2 D. TRIAL EXHIBITS

3 1. Exhibits must be placed in three-ring binders indexed by exhibit  
4 number with tabs or dividers on the right side. Counsel shall submit to the Court  
5 an original and one copy of the binders. The spine portion of the binder shall  
6 indicate the volume number *and* contain an index of each exhibit included in the  
7 volume.

8 2. The Court requires that the following be submitted to the Courtroom  
9 Deputy Clerk (“CRD”) on the *first day of trial*:

10 a. The party’s witness list in the order in which the witnesses  
11 may be called to testify.

12 b. The joint exhibit list in the form specified in Local Rule 16-5  
13 (Civil), which shall be sent in Word or WordPerfect format to the Chambers  
14 email box no later than noon on the Monday before trial.

15 c. All of the exhibits (except those to be used for impeachment  
16 only), with official exhibit tags attached and bearing the same number shown on  
17 the exhibit list. Exhibit tags may be obtained from the receptionist in the Public  
18 Intake Section, located on the Main Street level of the courthouse at 312 North  
19 Spring Street, Room G-19. Exhibits shall be numbered 1, 2, 3, etc., NOT 1.1, 1.2,  
20 etc. The defense exhibit numbers shall not duplicate plaintiff’s numbers. If a  
21 “blow-up” is an enlargement of an existing exhibit, it shall be designated with the  
22 number of the original exhibit followed by an “A.” These items (and the items  
23 listed in d and e below) shall be provided on the first day of trial.

24 d. The binder of *original exhibits* with the Court’s exhibit tags,  
25 yellow tags for plaintiff and blue tags for defendant, stapled to the front of the  
26 exhibit at the upper right-hand corner with the case number, case name, and  
27 exhibit number placed on each tag.

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1 e. A three-ring binder containing a copy of all exhibits that can  
2 be reproduced, and a copy of the witness list. Each exhibit shall be tabbed with  
3 the exhibit number for easy referral.

4 f. A three-ring binder containing a copy of all exhibits for use by  
5 witnesses.

6 3. A copy of the exhibit list with all *admitted exhibits* will be given to  
7 the jury during deliberations. Counsel shall review and approve the exhibit list  
8 with the CRD before the list is given to the jury.

9 4. Where a significant number of exhibits will be admitted, the Court  
10 encourages counsel, preferably by agreement, to consider ways in which  
11 testimony about exhibits may be made intelligible to the jury while it is being  
12 presented. Counsel should consider such devices as overhead projectors, jury  
13 notebooks for admitted exhibits or enlargements of important exhibits. [The Court  
14 has an Elmo and other equipment available for use during trial.] Information  
15 concerning training on the use of electronic equipment is available. Details are  
16 posted on the Court's website. To make reservations for training, call 213-894-  
17 3061. The Court does not permit exhibits to be "published" by passing them up  
18 and down the jury box. Exhibits may be displayed briefly using the screens in the  
19 courtroom, unless the process becomes too time-consuming.

20 5. All counsel are to meet not later than ten days before trial and to  
21 stipulate, so far as is possible, to foundation, to waiver of the best evidence rule  
22 and to those exhibits that may be received into evidence at the start of the trial.  
23 The exhibits to be so received will be noted on the Court's copy of the exhibit list.

24 E. COURT REPORTER

25 Any party requesting special court reporter services for any hearing (*i.e.*,  
26 real time transmission, daily transcripts) shall notify the reporter *at least 2 weeks*  
27 *before the hearing date.*  
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1           F.     JURY TRIAL

2           1.     On the first day of trial, court will commence at 9:00 a.m. and  
3 conclude at approximately 4:30 p.m. with a one-hour lunch break. On the first  
4 day of trial, *counsel must appear at 8:30 a.m.* to discuss preliminary matters with  
5 the Court. After the first day of trial, trial days are Tuesday through Friday from  
6 8:30 a.m. to approximately 2:00 p.m. with two twenty-minute breaks.

7           2.     On the first day of trial, the jury panel will be called when the Court  
8 is satisfied that the matter is ready for trial. Jury selection usually takes only a  
9 few hours. Counsel should be prepared to proceed with opening statements and  
10 witness examination immediately after jury selection.

11          3.     In most cases the Court will conduct its initial voir dire of 14  
12 prospective jurors who will be seated in the jury box. Generally the Court will  
13 select eight jurors.

14          4.     Each side will have three peremptory challenges. If 14 jurors are  
15 seated in the box and all six peremptories are exercised, the remaining eight jurors  
16 will constitute the jury panel. If fewer than six peremptories are exercised, the  
17 eight jurors in the lowest-numbered seats will be the jury. The Court will not  
18 necessarily accept a stipulation to a challenge for cause. If one or more  
19 challenges for cause are accepted and all six peremptories are exercised, the Court  
20 may decide to proceed with six or seven jurors.

21                               **III.**

22                               **CONDUCT OF ATTORNEYS AND PARTIES**

23           A.     OPENING STATEMENTS, EXAMINING WITNESSES, AND  
24                    SUMMATION

25          1.     Counsel must use the lectern.

26          2.     Counsel must not consume time by writing out words, drawing  
27 charts or diagrams, etc. Counsel may prepare such materials in advance.

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1           B.     OBJECTIONS TO QUESTIONS

2           1.     Counsel must not use objections for the purpose of making a speech,  
3 recapitulating testimony, or attempting to guide the witness.

4           2.     When objecting, counsel must rise to state the objection and state  
5 only that counsel objects and the legal ground of objection. If counsel wishes to  
6 argue an objection further, counsel must ask for permission to do so.

7           C.     GENERAL DECORUM

8           1.     Counsel should not approach the CRD or the witness box without  
9 specific permission and must return to the lectern when the purpose for  
10 approaching has been accomplished.

11          2.     Counsel should rise when addressing the Court, and when the Court  
12 or the jury enters or leaves the courtroom, unless directed otherwise.

13          3.     Counsel should address all remarks to the Court. Counsel are not to  
14 address the CRD, the court reporter, persons in the audience, or opposing counsel.  
15 If counsel wish to speak with opposing counsel, counsel must ask permission to  
16 do so. Any request for the re-reading of questions or answers shall be addressed  
17 to the Court. Requests may not be granted.

18          4.     Counsel should not address or refer to witnesses or parties by first  
19 names alone, with the exception of witnesses under 14 years old.

20          5.     Counsel must not offer a stipulation unless counsel have conferred  
21 with opposing counsel and have verified that the stipulation will be acceptable.

22          6.     While Court is in session, counsel must not leave counsel table to  
23 confer with any person in the back of the courtroom unless permission has been  
24 granted in advance.

25          7.     Counsel shall not make facial expressions, nod, or shake their heads,  
26 comment, or otherwise exhibit in any way any agreement, disagreement, or other  
27 opinion or belief concerning the testimony of a witness. Counsel shall admonish  
28 their clients and witnesses not to engage in such conduct.

1           8. Counsel should not talk to jurors at all, and should not talk to co-  
2 counsel, opposing counsel, witnesses, or clients where the conversation can be  
3 overheard by jurors. Each counsel should admonish counsel's own clients and  
4 witnesses to avoid such conduct.

5           9. Where a party has more than one lawyer, only one may conduct the  
6 direct or cross-examination of a particular witness, or make objections as to that  
7 witness.

8           D. PROMPTNESS OF COUNSEL AND WITNESSES

9           1. Promptness is expected from counsel and witnesses. Once counsel  
10 are engaged in trial, this trial is counsel's first priority. The Court will not delay  
11 the trial or inconvenience jurors.

12           2. If a witness was on the stand at a recess or adjournment, counsel who  
13 called the witness shall ensure the witness is back on the stand and ready to  
14 proceed when trial resumes.

15           3. Counsel must notify the CRD in advance if any witness should be  
16 accommodated based on a disability or for other reasons.

17           4. No presenting party may be without witnesses. If a party's  
18 remaining witnesses are not immediately available and there is more than a brief  
19 delay, the Court may deem that party to have rested.

20           5. The Court attempts to cooperate with professional witnesses and  
21 will, except in extraordinary circumstances, accommodate them by permitting  
22 them to be called out of sequence. Counsel must anticipate any such possibility  
23 and discuss it with opposing counsel. If there is an objection, counsel must  
24 confer with the Court in advance.

25           E. EXHIBITS

26           1. Each counsel should keep counsel's own list of exhibits and should  
27 note when each has been admitted into evidence.

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1           2.     Each counsel is responsible for any exhibits that counsel secures  
2 from the CRD and must return them before leaving the courtroom at the end of  
3 the session.

4           3.     An exhibit not previously marked should, at the time of its first  
5 mention, be accompanied by a request that it be marked for identification.  
6 Counsel must show a new exhibit to opposing counsel before the court session in  
7 which it is mentioned.

8           4.     Counsel are to advise the CRD of any agreements with respect to the  
9 proposed exhibits and as to those exhibits that may be received without further  
10 motion to admit.

11          5.     When referring to an exhibit, counsel should refer to its exhibit  
12 number. Witnesses should be asked to do the same.

13          6.     Counsel must not ask witnesses to draw charts or diagrams nor ask  
14 the Court's permission for a witness to do so. Any graphic aids must be fully  
15 prepared before the court session starts.

16           F.     DEPOSITIONS

17          1.     All depositions to be used at trial, either as evidence or for  
18 impeachment, must be lodged with the CRD *on the first day of trial or such*  
19 *earlier date as the Court may order*. Counsel should verify with the CRD that the  
20 relevant deposition is in the CRD's possession.

21          2.     In using depositions of an adverse party for impeachment, either one  
22 of the following procedures may be adopted:

23           a.     If counsel wishes to read the questions and answers as alleged  
24 impeachment and ask the witness no further questions on that subject, counsel  
25 shall first state the page and line where the reading begins and the page and line  
26 where the reading ends, and allow time for any objection. Counsel may then read  
27 the portions of the deposition into the record.

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1           b. If counsel wishes to ask the witness further questions on the  
 2 subject matter, the deposition shall be placed in front of the witness and the  
 3 witness told to read the relevant pages and lines silently. Then counsel may either  
 4 ask the witness further questions on the matter and thereafter read the quotations,  
 5 or read the quotations and thereafter ask further questions. Counsel should have  
 6 an extra copy of the deposition for this purpose.

7           3. Where a witness is absent and the witness's testimony is offered by  
 8 deposition, counsel may (a) have a reader occupy the witness chair and read the  
 9 testimony of the witness while the examining lawyer asks the questions, or (b)  
 10 have counsel read both the questions and answers.

11           G. USING NUMEROUS ANSWERS TO INTERROGATORIES AND  
 12 REQUESTS FOR ADMISSIONS

13           Whenever counsel expects to offer a group of answers to interrogatories or  
 14 requests for admissions extracted from one or more lengthy documents, counsel  
 15 should prepare a new document listing each question and answer and identifying  
 16 the document from which it has been extracted. Copies of this new document  
 17 should be given to the Court and opposing counsel.

18           H. ADVANCE NOTICE OF UNUSUAL OR DIFFICULT ISSUES

19           If any counsel have reason to anticipate that a difficult question of law or  
 20 evidence will necessitate legal argument requiring research or briefing, counsel  
 21 must give the Court advance notice. Counsel are directed to notify the CRD at  
 22 the day's adjournment if an unexpected legal issue arises that could not have been  
 23 foreseen and addressed by a motion *in limine*. See Fed. R. Evid. 103. Counsel  
 24 must also advise the CRD at the end of each trial day of any issues that must be  
 25 addressed outside the presence of the jury, so that there is no interruption of the  
 26 trial. THE COURT WILL NOT KEEP JURORS WAITING.

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1           ***N.B. “COUNSEL,” AS USED IN THIS ORDER, INCLUDES***  
2           ***PARTIES APPEARING IN PROPRIA PERSONA.***

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4           IT IS SO ORDERED.

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6           Dated: November 23, 2015

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| <b>WITNESSES FOR PLAINTIFF</b> |                                       |
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| <b>WITNESSES FOR DEFENDANT</b> |                                       |
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